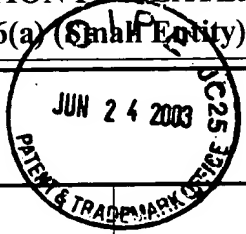


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<b>COMBINED AMENDMENT &amp; PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)</b>	Docket No. 5600
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Invention:  
**METHOD OF MEASURING CABLE LENGTHS OF FIXED IMPEDANCE**

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 12/24/02 in the above-identified application.  
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month    
☐ Two months    
☒ Three months    
☐ Four months    
☐ Five months

from: March 24, 2003     until: June 24, 2003  
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A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

☐ is enclosed.  
☒ has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
TOTAL CLAIMS	22 -	27 =	0	x \$9.00	\$0.00	
INDEP. CLAIMS	7 -	5 =	2	x \$42.00	\$84.00	
FEE FOR AMENDMENT						\$84.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME						\$465.00
<b>TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME</b>						<b>\$549.00</b>

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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$549.00 for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 04-1425 in the amount of \$549.00
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-1425
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☐ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 04-1425

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